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Re: Enclosed Amendment Under 37 CFR §1.116
 U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/729,015
 Docket No.: K06-163809M/TBS

Dear Examiner Binda:

Enclosed for filing is an Amendment in response to the Final Office Action mailed on June 24, 2005, which should place the above-referenced case in condition for allowance.

Thank you in advance for your kind consideration on this case.

Very truly yours,



J. Bradley Wright

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated **June 24, 2005**, please amend the above-identified application as follows: